MINUTES OF THE TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE

Wednesday, September 16, 2009 – 2:00 p.m. – Traffic Operations Center, 2060 S 2760 W, SLC

Members Present:

Rep. Julie Fisher, House Chair

Sen. David P. Hinkins

Rep. Rebecca P. Edwards

Rep. Craig A. Frank

Rep. Lynn N. Hemingway

Rep. Michael T. Morley

Rep. Marie H. Poulson

Rep. Kraig Powell

Rep. F. Jay Seegmiller

Rep. C. Brent Wallis

Members Absent:

Sen. Kevin V. Van Tassell, Senate Chair

Sen. Brent H. Goodfellow

Sen. Scott K. Jenkins

Sen. Karen Mayne

Sen. Stephen H. Urquhart

Rep. Stephen D. Clark

Rep. Janice M. Fisher

Rep. Kory M. Holdaway

Staff Present:

Mr. Leif G. Elder, Policy Analyst

Ms. Shannon C. Halverson, Associate General Counsel

Note: A copy of related materials can be found at www.le.utah.gov.

1. Committee Business

There was no official committee business transacted. Sen. Jenkins, Sen. Mayne, Sen. Urquhart, Sen. Van Tassell and Rep. Clark were excused.

2. Transportation Facilities Site Visit

Committee members met at the Traffic Operations Center (TOC) in Salt Lake City where representatives of the Utah Department of Transportation led a tour of the facility and demonstrated how operators at the TOC can monitor traffic, detect roadway incidents and crashes, and take actions necessary to return traffic flow to normal by using traffic and weather sensors and almost 600 cameras. The Committee also toured and received an update on the 11400 South construction project that will add a new interchange on I–15 and widen 11400 South from State Street to Bangerter Highway.

The tour concluded at approximately 5:00 p.m.